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NOTES OF THE SOCIETY

At the meeting of the Society on February 12 we were fortunate to have for our guest speaker, Mr. William O. Stoddard, the son of William O. Stoddard, one of the secretaries of President Lincoln during the Civil War. His "Lincoln Stories Told by My Father" brought the past nearer to the present and highlighted for us the incidents he related, almost as if he himself had been a participant in them. Mr John P. Heston displayed an interesting collection of family photographs.

The speakers at the March meeting were all members of the Society. Mrs. Dwight T. Randall read a charming account of her two grandmothers, with excerpts from old letters. Mr. D. H. Reynolds Page believes the younger generation would treasure old family pictures if they were made into attractive collections, and exhibited some of his own valuable collection to support his theory. Mr. Marquis E. Shattuck discussed the influence of family backgrounds as seen in the life of Dr. Frank Cody, for many years Superintendent of the Detroit Public Schools. Mr. L. Austin Pearce emphasized the close relationship between history and genealogy, touching briefly on his own Scotch (McLauchlan) and New England (Brown) ancestry.

Mrs. Raymond Millbrook has completed the copying of a number of Saratoga County, New York, cemetery records which have now been placed on file in the Burton Historical Collection of the Detroit Public Library. The original records were made by Mrs. Marie Noll Cormack and Miss Katherine Furman of Schenectady, New York, and were generously loaned to the Burton Collection to be copied.

Mr. Lot Augustus Morrill recently presented to the Society a copy of a pamphlet entitled "The Townships of Mother Cumberland, including Bedford, Blair, Centre, Cumberland, Franklin, Fulton, Huntingdon, Juanita, Mifflin and Perry Counties, Pennsylvania" by Raymond Marin Bell, 1943. This has been placed on file in the Burton Collection. It includes a number of maps, which should make it a valuable aid to researchers in that part of Pennsylvania.

The Michigan State Year Book of Bible Records and Lineages of the D. A. R., 1943-1944, contains a Goss-Cooley-Rice lineage compiled by Mrs. Frederick L. Osborn of Ann Arbor, Michigan, with the assistance of other members of the Goss family. Mrs. Osborn is regent of the Keziah Cooley Goss Chapter D.A.R. and genealogist of the Cooley Family Association. A copy is on file in the Burton Historical Collection.

As indicative of an interest which some of our soldiers abroad are taking in family backgrounds across the seas, Mr. Robinson, at the March meeting, read some very interesting excerpts from letters written by Sgt. Merville M. Knapp of the U. S. Army Engineers, stationed somewhere in England. These letters were made available to the Society by his mother, Mrs. George Knapp of Highland Park, Michigan. In them he tells of his experiences in finding his Digby ancestry in a genealogical library in England; and in great detail of his visit to the Digby ancestral home, Gayhurst House in Buckinghamshire, where he was entertained at tea by the present owner, Lady Carlile, and shown every nook and corner of the famous old house. He also examined the records of the church of the manor, St. Peter's, where he found many entries referring to members of his family.

Mr. David S. Coon of Escanaba, Michigan, has given to the Society a collection of typewritten manuscripts, copies of letters and other family documents, containing a great amount of genealogical material. They relate to such families as Chamberlain, Mason, Tilton, Coon, MacCoon, Wing, Statia, Powell, etc. There is a collection of letters from Thomas Mason in Dublin, Ireland, to his brother, Benjamin Mason of Sheboygan Falls, Wis. 1875-1882. Our thanks to Mr. Coon for this valuable gift.

A WALKER-JAMISON BIBLE RECORD

Contributed by Minnie Dubbs Willbrook of Detroit.

Note:- This Bible (Printed for Johnson and Warner, Philadelphia, 1813) belonged originally to Rebecca Jamison Walker of Burnt Cabins, Pa. It descended to her daughter Agnes Dubbs, who brought the Bible to Western Kansas in 1879. It now belongs to Charles F. Dubbs, Ransom, Kansas. MWW.

BIRTHS	MARRIAGES	DEATHS
Alice Walker born, Tues, March 7th 1808	10th Febry 1830	
Rebecca Jamison was born in the year of our Lord Sep 5th 1784		
James I Walker born Sat. July 13th 1810		Aug. 30th 1875 at 4:00 P M
William Walker born Sun. Aprile 13th 1811.		
Sarah I Walker born Fri. Mar 28th 1814	Aprile 22, 1842 Welch	Apr 20th 1881 at 12½ o'clock
Mary R. Walker born Apr 22 1816.	Decm. 30th 1845	
John Walker born Fri. June 18th 1818	To Martha Ann Kinkead 26th Nov 1844	27th March 1860 Aged 41 yr 9 mo 9 da.
Isabell Walker born Fri. Nov. 24 1820	April 10th 1849	
Agnes Z. Walker born Aug 24, 1823.	22nd Sept. 1841	

DATE OF DEATH

Moses Jamison	March 1822	aged 25.
Lilla (M) "	Jan 25, 1826	aged 25.
Sara "	Sept 4th 1826	aged 34.
James " Sr.	Mar 31, 1828	aged 86.
Mary Kelly	May 29th 1830	aged 39.
James Jamison	Aug 27th 1837	aged 47.
William "	Dec 29, 1841	
Sophia "	Apr 7th 1828	
Sarah Jamison	May 28th 1841	aged 79.
Abraham Walker	19th Febry 1839	aged 77 yrs.
Rebecca Walker	27th Aug 1869	" 84 yrs, 11 mo, 22 da.

JOHN SCOTT OF BROOKFIELD

Compiled by Maurice W. Fox of Detroit, Michigan.

The ship ELIZABETH, Robert Homes, master, arrived from Ireland at Hull and Boston, Mass., on or about Nov. 3, 1719, bringing about 150 passengers, some with small pox. (Ref: Bolton, Scotch-Irish Pioneers, p. 231). Among these passengers was one John Scott. (Ref: Essex Institute, Vol. 67, p. 110.) The Select men of the Town of Boston, fearing "the spread of such infectious sickness", immediately warned 30 of the passengers to depart. (Ref: Boston Record Commissioners' Reports, Vol. 13, p.63)

Among the 30 who were ordered to leave were Bell, Blair, Campbell, Houston, Linsy, Mackfarland, More, John Scott, Walker and Watson, all listed as farmers. Most of these typically Scotch names appear in Blandford, Mass., a settlement of Scotch-Irish, within fifty years after the landing of the ELIZABETH.

John Scott of Brookfield bought land in Blandford in 1738, three years before Blandford was incorporated. His identity with the John Scott who arrived on the ELIZABETH has not been definitely proven. There were scores of John Scotts in Massachusetts in the 18th century. Most of them, however, were of English origin, and our John Scott was definitely Scotch-Irish. There were other Scotts in Brookfield, William and Ebenezer, sons of John of Springfield. Certainly not related to the subject of this sketch.

John Scott of Brookfield next appears in Westfield, Mass. with wife Agnis. A son John had been born to them June 2, 1733. In Westfield Vital Records we find John Scott and wife Agnis had David, b. Aug. 3, 1742 and Ann, b. Mar. 7, 1747. John Scott of Brookfield first appears in Blandford town records in 1752, when he was chosen constable and "hogg rive".

First Generation

1. John Scott of Brookfield, m. Agnis -----.

Children (Scott):

2. John, b. June 2, 1733, m. Oct. 25, 1759, Rachel Stewart, dau. of John Stewart, blacksmith, and Sarah Bell (or Boll). Mentioned in all of Rev. S. G. Wood's fine books: "The Taverns and Turnpikes of Blandford", "Ulster Scots and Blandford Scouts and "Soldiers and Sailors of the Revolution from Blandford, Mass." Sometimes referred to as John Scott, Jr. Name sometimes spelled Scot. Revolutionary soldier. Selectman, Blandford 1769, 1782, 1783, 1784 and 1785. (Ref: Hampden Co., Mass., by Copeland, Vol. 2, p. 520). In Murrayfield (new Chester) for a time. (Ref: Same, Vol. 3, pp. 355 and 356). His eleven children evidently born in Blandford, but Blandford vital records show only birth of the first four, who are also shown in "Ulster Scots", p. 395. In Blandford were other Scotts, descended from Benj. Scott, who came directly from Scotland in 1746. Of these Scotts is Gen. Winfield Scott. Entirely unrelated to our John Scott. John Scott, b. 1733, was for a short time near Hancock, Mass., and in 1796 appears in Unadilla, New York, on the banks of the Susquehanna. At the first town meeting there, 1796, he was elected path master and pound master, to which offices he was re-elected each year through 1801. He d., Unadilla, Nov. 12, 1819.

3. David, b. Westfield, Mass., Aug. 3, 1742. In 1759, was a soldier from Blandford in the Seven Years' War. Under age at that time. Shown as son of John in "Ulster Scots", p. 384. Seen exhibited the restless spirit characteristic of all the Scotch-Irish and of our Scotts in particular. Was in Murrayfield for a time with his brother John Scott, Jr. (Ref: Hampden Co., Mass." Vol. 3, p. 355), where they were among the first settlers, 1763. Murrayfield, with some boundary changes, is new Chester, Mass. In 1773 David was in nearby Huntington (Ref: History of Huntington by Bisbee,

p. 7). Here, at the first legal district meeting, July 14, 1773, David was chosen moderator. Enlisted in American Revolution from Norwich. Distinguished military service as Lieut. David Scott. (Ref: Mass. Soldiers and Sailors). Chester vital records show children born to David and Mary. He d. Jan. 18, 1833 in Wayland, Pa.

Ann, b. Westfield, Mass., Mar. 7, 1747. Thought to be identical with Ann Scott who m. Roger Parks, Nov. 18, 1776 in Blandford. (Ref: Parke Families of Conn., p. 83). Roger Parks lived in Westfield before coming to Blandford.

Second Generation.

2. John Scott, b. June 2, 1733, m. Rachel Stewart.
Children (Scott):

David, b. June 25, 1760. Named for his uncle, Lieut. David Scott.

Margret, b. Dec. 23, 1761. Died young.

4. John, b. Sept. 27, 1763, m. Mabel Allen. (Becket, Mass. Vital Records). She d. Mar. 31, 1836, ae 66 yrs. Settled in Augusta, Oneida Co., N. Y. He d. Aug. 2, 1829. John and Mabel are buried in Augusta-Knoxboro cemetery.

Stewart, b. Nov. 1, 1765. See 7, Seth.

Sarah, b. Dec. 26, 1767, m. Jonathan Anderson in Blandford, Feb. 12, 1788. This Jonathan Anderson is thought to be the son of Jonathan Anderson of Hingham, who moved with his family to Chesterfield, Hampshire Co., Mass. (See Hartford Times of May 8, 1937, No. 2108 (2).

5. Warham, b. Mar. 6, 1770, m. Elizabeth Foote, June 27, 1802. Had a woolen mill in Canajoharie. Went to Canal Dover (now Dover), O., about 1840. Wife Elizabeth b. Aug. 3, 1778, d. Apr. 2, 1822. Warham died Dec. 24, 1855.

6. Silas, b. July 10, 1772, m. Sarah Lee, Aug. 9, 1794. She was dau. of Philemon Lee of Cheshire and Hancock, Mass., a Revolutionary soldier. Philemon Lee m. Priscilla Sprague (Ref: Sprague Families in America, p. 170). Priscilla Sprague was a Mayflower descendant, and this line has been approved by the Society of Mayflower Descendants in the admission of Mrs. Emma A. Fox of Detroit into membership. Silas Scott held various offices in Unadilla, N. Y., from 1798 to 1827. In 1827 he was elected president of the village. He d. Jan. 21, 1838. Wife Sarah d. Mar. 23, 1848. They are buried in Spencer St. cemetery, Unadilla Twp., near Rockdale, N. Y. Gravestones plainly legible. (Ref: Pioneers of Unadilla by Halsey).

7. Seth, b. Apr. 22, 1774, m. Amy Birch. Seth was constable in Unadilla in 1796 and 1797. Removed with wife and small children to Mexico, Oswego Co., N. Y. Most of his descendants live, or have lived, near there.

From the vicinity of Mexico, N. Y., Seth wrote the following quaint letter to his brother Warham in Canal Dover, O. The letter provides the clues through which his descendants were recently traced:

Rich land 30 December 1845

Dear Brother I received a letter from your daughter informing where you lived which I was happy to hear I had not heard from you in 8 years the Lat time I saw you was 8 years Last September in road in Gilford you had Ben to Silases and I was going there I was with a wagon my wife and another woman I thought I knew you after Pasingbye Silas children Lives the Bigest part of them about the countrey where he died well for what I know I will give you a discription of my family Rachel Lives 3 miles from me has 1 Son and 1 Daughter margaret Live 1 mile from me has 2

Daughters John Lives closby has 3 sons 2 daughter Martin Lives 3 miles from me no children Wm has fowled saling for several years not setled Down makes his hom with me a winter, Robert my youngest is in Illinois went ther Last may I have had 4 letters from him he states he is doing well Likes the Country
I forgot hariett she lives 1 mile from has 3 childen 2 sons and girl the youngest 2 Days old Steward Lives and Lives with me he is most Blind and Very Deaf 80 years and to months my Children I think are Doing well Now I wish you would give me answer to this as soon as you git write me how you are Doing Direct to Mexico Oswego Coun I must Close my Letter I have thout of going to Illinois Next Summer and if I Dee I may call and se you
ths from your Brother Seth Scott
to Warham Scott

Seth d. Aug. 7, 1852 and wife Amy d. June 19, 1866. Both are buried in Willis cemetery, between Pulaski and Mexico, N. Y. Gravestones plainly legible.

Asher, b. Apr. 14, 1776. Constable, assessor and commissioner of highways, Unadilla, 1809-1823. In Masonic Lodge. Died May 11, 1836. Buried in Spencer St. cemetery.

Amasa, b. July 9, 1778.

William, b. May 14, 1780. In 1849 William's brother Seth wrote a letter about getting a pension for William as a soldier of 1812, saying that he fought in the battle of Queensbero.

3. Lieut. David Scott, b. Westfield, Mass., Aug. 3, 1742.

Children (Scott): (Ref: Chester and Huntington, Mass. V. R.)

William, b. Oct. 22, 1764, m. Oct. 7, 1787, Levisa (Levica, Louisa) Miller of Chester. A descendant is Miss Louise Fuller Beldon of Fredonia, N. Y., and the line is shown in D.A.R. Lineage Book, Vol. 151, p. 64. This account, however, shows 3 Lieut. David Scott as married to Susannah Bolton, rather than Mary -----.

James, b. July 19, 1767, m. 1795 Demoris Mixer of Norwich.

Mary, b. May 6, 1770, m. 1792 Levi Day of Norwich. Should be Dewey - See Dewey Fam. p. 282 ff.

Third Generation.

4. John Scott, b. Sept. 27, 1763, m. Mabel Allen. John and Mabel and their children, Laurendia and John Allis Scott, also Laurendia's husband and John Allis Scott's wife and son, are buried in Augusta-Knoxbero cemetery in Oneida Co., New York.

Children (Scott): All b. Beckot, Mass. See Beckot V. R.

8. Linus, b. May 17, 1790, m. (1) May 27, 1824, Minerva Higley. (Ref: The Higleys and Their Ancestry, p. 299); m. (2) Dec. 24, 1829, Flavia Snow. Linus Scott and his second wife, Flavia, are buried in Windham, O.

9. Stillman, b. Dec. 27, 1791, m. Hannah Seley. He d. Feb. 21, 1876. Both buried, with four young children, in Windham, O.

Salla, b. Oct. 26, 1793, d. Apr. 8, 1796.

Laurendia, b. Jan. 22, 1796, m. Solomon Cook, d. July 3, 1871.

10. John Allis, b. May 26, 1798, m. Betsey Wilbur, d. 1883.

11. Elijah Adams, b. Sept. 28, 1800, m. (1) Dec. 10, 1829, Sarah Melissa Higley (1808-1836); m. (2) Mar. 1, 1837, Sarah Ann Underwood. (Ref: The Higleys and Their Ancestry). D. Nov. 11, 1880.

12. David, b. Dec. 1, 1802, m. Jan. 13, 1838, Sarah Philena Marcy of Otis, Mass. David Scott came to Freedom, Portage Co., Ohio, in 1820; d. Mar. 28, 1887, buried in Windham, O.

5. Warham Scott, b. Mar. 6, 1770, m. Elizabeth Foote.
Children (Scott);
13. John Foote Scott, b. Oct. 3, 1803, m. Susan Hunter. Was in Zanesville, Ind. in 1850, where he d. about 1875.
Harriet, b. July 8, 1805, d. Sept. 9, 1807.
14. Samuel, b. July 28, 1807, m. July 23, 1834, in Dover, Ohio, Mary Rebecca Burchfield, d. Dec. 28, 1891.
Poole, b. Oct. 17, 1808, d. Mar. 16, 1845.
Silas, b. Aug. 4, 1812, d. Mar. 2, 1813.
Emily Ann, b. Apr. 18, 1813, m. Duane DeVatie, d. Apr. 29, 1849. Their two children died in infancy.
Russell D. Scott, b. Jan. 6, 1817. Unmarried, d. Feb. 20, 1867 in Marysville, California.
6. Silas Scott, b. July 10, 1772, m. Sarah Lee.
Children (Scott): All b. in Unadilla, N. Y.
15. Wiley Huntington, b. Oct. 28, 1796, m. Mar. 1, 1821, Asenath Locke. (Ref: Book of the Lockes; History of Broome Co., N. Y., 1885, p. 336; Pioneers of Unadilla). Operated Bragg Hotel in Unadilla, 1832-1837; later removed to Nineveh, Broome Co., where he operated Scott's Tavern. Died in Nineveh, Aug. 12, 1872. Wife Asenath d. Dec. 9, 1872. Buried in section of cemetery in Nineveh which contains 23 Scott graves.
John Lee, b. Apr. 5, 1799, m. Aug. 23, 1835, Emily Lull. Had palsey. D. Apr. 2, 1879.
Olive, b. June 29, 1801, m. (1) 1820, John Doming; m. (2) 1863, John Farnham. D. Feb. 6, 1875.
16. Sarah, b. May 16, 1804, m. Feb. 19, 1828, John Pangburn. D. Feb. 8, 1876.
17. Almira, b. Sept. 23, 1806, m. June 13, 1832, John Padgett, blacksmith. D. Apr. 3, 1880.
18. Silas Philemon, b. Feb. 27, 1809, m. Feb. 17, 1836, Ruth Ann Bryant. Operated hotel in Nineveh, competing with his brother Wiley. D. Aug. 11, 1863.
Orange Warham, b. Aug. 18, 1811. Drowned or killed in mill race, Dec. 1, 1820.
Stanley Montgomery Pike, d. Aug. 3, 1815, ae 1 yr. 1 mo. and 20 days.
19. Mary, b. May 30, 1816, m. (1) Apr. 2, 1846, Calvin Young; m. (2) Apr. 14, 1870, Edwin Rowe. D. Oct. 6, 1889.
20. Asher Cyrene, b. Nov. 30, 1819, m. Feb. 15, 1847, Mary A. Dixon. Operated Riverside Brewery in Norwich, N. Y., 1871-1879. D. Sept. 1, 1889.
7. Seth Scott, b. Apr. 22, 1774, m. Amy Birch.
Children (Scott): All b. in Unadilla, N. Y.
21. Harriet S., b. Dec. 23, 1815, m. Jan. 21, 1836, William Edick (1808-1876). D. Jan. 2, 1905, near Mexico, N. Y.
Rachel, m. ----- had one son and one daughter.
22. Margaret, m. John Edick.
23. John, b. 1812, m. Pharzina ---- (1813-1903), d. 1866. John and Pharzina and three of their children buried in Willis cemetery, Mexico, N. Y.
Martin, m. Margaret ----. No children. Our Scotts are indebted to this couple for preserving old family records.
William, a sailor.
24. Robert Emmet, b. Dec. 19, 1822, m. 1847, Nancy Jane Thomas. She d. Jan. 8, 1908, ae 75. He went to Montlonia, McHenry Co., Ill. in 1845; to Muskegon, Mich., in 1851; and to Grand Rapids, Mich. in 1878, where he operated a general store. D. Apr. 13, 1894. Buried in Berlin, Mich.

To be continued.

ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF REDFORD, MICHIGAN, 1845
Contributed by Mrs. Clarence L. Beavis of Detroit, Michigan.
Concluded from January-February.

Name of Owner or Occupant	Description	Sec'n	Acres	Value	Personal
Case Henry	NW¼ of SW¼	2	40	100	
Wood Benjamin	E½ of NE¼	3	80	262	
Brown Robert	part of W½ of NW¼ lying NE of the river	4	37	190	
Young Wm	NW¼ of NE¼	4	40	125	
Boden's heirs	E½ of SE¼	5	80	305	
Livingston Henry	NW¼ of SW¼ excepting 12 acres of the west side and NE¼ of SW¼	5	76	240	
Drake Sidney	12 acres off W side NW¼ of SW¼	5	12	36	
Stewart John	E½ of NE¼ and 27 acres	6	80	200	
	off North end of E½ of SE¼	6	27	68	
Sperry	W½ of NE¼	6	80	254	
Cranson Samuel	W½ of SE¼	6	80	254	
Race Cornelius	15 acres off of NW corner of E½ of NW¼	7	15	55	
Hogaboon	SE¼	9	160	800	
Maiden David	SW¼ of SW¼	11	40	120	
Unknown	NW¼ of SW¼	11	40	100	
Do	SW¼ of NW¼	11	40	100	
Do	E½ of NW¼	11	80	200	
Lewis	NE¼ SW¼	11	40	100	
Little Israel	E½ of NE¼	11	80	180	
Trowbridge Charles C.	E½ of SW¼	12	80	180	
Beyon	NW¼ of NW¼	12	40	80	
Houghton	E½ of NE¼	12	80	160	
McKinny Dennis	10 acres off N end of W½ of W½ of SW¼	15	10	40	
Heiferan John	SW¼ of NW¼	13	40	100	
Gaffany Patrick	E½ of NW¼ of NE¼	13	20	50	
Gaffany Philip	W½ of NW¼ of NE¼	13	20	50	
Griffin James	NW¼ of SE¼	13	40	100	
				5425	
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Matterson Samuel	W½ of SW¼ and 19 acres off	13	80	200	
	North end of W½ of NW¼	24	19	76	
Unknown	N½ of NW¼	13	75	206	
Stoddard R. R.	E½ of SE¼	14	80	300	
Dunkin	E½ of NE¼	14	80	240	
Hulbirt	S½ of SW¼	14	80	240	
Blue Daniel	E½ of SW¼	20	80	240	
Almon Harris	E½ of SW¼	23	80	250	
Powers S. S.	SE¼	23	160	480	
Kingston	SW¼ of NW¼	23	40	120	
McCather & Hulbert	E½ of NW¼	23	80	240	
Unknown	NW¼ NW¼	23	40	120	
Norton Patrick	W½ of SW¼	24	80	240	
Unknown	E½ of SE¼	24	80	240	
				3192	
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Hall	E½ of NW¼	25	80	240	

Name of Owner or Occupant	Description	Sec'n	Acres	Value	Personal
Houghton	W½ of NW¼ &	25	80	240	
	NE¼ of NE¼	26	40	120	
Unknown	NW¼ of SW¼	25	40	160	
Paterson Thomas	SE¼ of SE¼ &	25	40	120	
	NE¼	36	160	480	
Smith	N½ of SE¼ & S½ of NE¼	26	160	570	
Cant	NE¼ of SW¼	26	40	120	
Howard J. M.	W½ of NW¼	28	80	280	
Unknown	NW¼ of SW¼	28	40	100	
Do	E½ of NE¼	29	80	200	
Do	NW¼ of NE¼	29	40	100	
Washington Jackson	NE¼ of SE¼	30	40	140	
Hand George E.	E½ NW¼ excepting 10 acres on SW corner	31	70	253	
Finney Lemon	W½ of NW¼	31	80	300	
Cook Levi	SW¼ of SE¼	32	40	100	
Ludden	SE¼ of SE¼	32	40	100	
Ludden	SW¼ of SW¼	33	40	100	
Stodard R. R.	NE¼ of NE¼	34	40	100	
Gunn	SE¼ of NE¼	34	40	100	
Mayberry William	E½ of SE¼	34	80	200	
Unknown	W½ of NE¼	34	80	200	
Mayberry Thomas	SE¼ of SW¼	35	40	100	
Mayberry Henry	W½ of SW¼	35	80	200	
Hefferen John	E½ of NE¼	35	80	250	
McCarty Florence	SW¼ of NW¼	36	40	120	
Fuller Lewis	E½ of SW¼	36	80	210	
				5203	

Real Estate	110,031
Personal	20,434
Aggregate	$ 130,465
Loss	210
	130,255

(Last two items in different ink)

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I do hereby Certify that the Board of Supervisors have equalized and Corrected the within roll and have determined that the aggregate amounts of Real and personal property of the Township of Redford to be $122,335 for the year Eighteen Hundred & forty five.

$ 122,355

Detroit Oct 15, 1845 H. Saunders - Chairman

Board of Supervisors
Wayne County Oct 15, 1845

I hereby certify that the Board of Supervisors have apportioned to be assessed on the taxable property of the Township of Redford for State & County purposes for the year eighteen hundred & forty five the sum of Ten hundred & nine dollars & twenty six cents

Aggregate $1009.26 Geo. R. Griswold
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We do hereby certify that we have set claims in the above assessment roll upon the real estate in the Township of Redford liable to be taxed according to our best information and we have estimated it at a Sum which we believe to be the just Value thereof and allso that the said assessment roll Contains a true Statement of the aggregate amount of the taxable personal estate of each and every person named in the said roll and except in those Cases where the value of such personal estate has been sworn to by the owner or passesor we have estimated the same at its just value according to our best information and belief.

Albert Stockwell)
James C Jackson) Assessors
W A Smith)

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REDFORD TOWNSHIP, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

Redford township was originally one of four townships which went to comprise the town known as Bucklin, which was laid out by Governor Cass, October 23, 1824; and organized, April 12, 1827. The townships of Nankin and Pekin were formed out of the township of Bucklin, October 29, 1829. Pekin township was renamed Redford on March 21, 1833. Tradition says that the name of Redford was given to this township from the fact that the River Rouge (the French name meaning "red") had a ford within the township limits. The township of Dearborn was formed out of the south part of Redford township, April 1, 1833. The township of Livonia was formed out of the north part of Nankin township, March 17, 1835.

In 1831 there was no road to Detroit other than the Indian trail by way of Dearborn. In 1832 a road was made to Dearborn and the Grand River Road was laid out in 1833. The Detroit and Howell plank road was not built until 1848.

The first settlement in Redford township was made by a man named Azarias Bell in 1818. No further settlements were made until 1825 when Thomas Goldard, an Englishman, located a tract of land. In 1827 came two brothers, Benjamin and Joseph Green, from Ontario County, New York. 1828 brought George Norris from Genva, New York, followed by William Lyon from England. George Ferrington came from Stouben County, New York in 1829. Ezekiel Sackett and John Pearsall appear on the records about 1831. In 1832 Sylvester K. Burgess with his father, Homan Burgess, came from Birmingham, Oakland County, and located on a farm. This same year brought Lewis Cock, Hiram Wilmarth and Noah Peck from New York state, George Boyce from England, and Ralph and Benjamin Bell. Sometime later came these families from France: Besancon, Bessardot, Chavey, Humbert, Hostetter and Mettetal.

George Ferrington was appointed the first supervisor of the township, beginning his term of office in 1833. Charles Smith (1811-1882) was the first school teacher of Redford.

The First Baptist Church was organized, December 6, 1831, at Redford Center, or what was later known as Bell Branch. Services were held in a log school house until 1843 when the trustees voted to erect a building. The Redford Village Church was organized, November 21, 1903, and April 14, 1918, these two churches merged into the Redford Baptist Church, located at Redford and Lahser avenues.

The First M. E. Church at Bell Branch was erected about 1840. About thirty years ago this church merged with the Village M. E. Church and formed the Calvary M. E. Church on Grand River Avenue in Redford.

Several villages were in the township, among which were Redford Center, Fisher Station, Duboisville, Oak Post Office and Sand Hill. Sand Hill later became Redford Village.

The principal business of the township was agriculture, although there was a tile factory, a glue factory and one or two grist mills inside the township limits.

WITH OUR FIRST AMERICAN MARINES

Compiled by Ralph Dodge Johnson of Grosse Pointe Park, Michigan.

Note:- In view of the fact that we are again engaged in war and many people are interested in identifying their progenitors with the various conflicts that have occurred since our country was first settled, the following data, which is off the beaten track of our military history as most of us know it, may prove of interest. The late Raymond E. Van Sickle, of the Detroit College of Law, collaborated with me in collecting this data.
My progenitor, Andrew Dodge II of Windham County, Connecticut, was killed in action as a Colonial Marine, when serving with Admiral Vernon's expedition against the Spanish at Jamaica, West Indies, in 1741. RDJ, SAR.

In January, 1741, Admiral Edward Vernon (1684-1757) was sent by His Majesty, George II, King of England, against the Spanish at Cartegena, Colombia, South America. He rendevoused at Jamaica, West Indies. There were 29 ships of the line; 29 frigates; 15,000 seamen; 12,000 land forces, including 4 American Battalions of Colonial Marines.

The colonies contributed men as follows: Massachusetts, 5 companies; Connecticut, 2 Companies; Rhode Island, 2 Companies; New York, 5 Companies; New Jersey, 3 Companies; Pennsylvania, 8 Companies; Maryland, 3 Companies; Virginia, 4 Companies; North Carolina, 4 Companies. Colonel LAWRENCE WASHINGTON was a Commander.

The Connecticut Legislature appropriated 4,000 English Pounds, called for volunteers and appointed as enrolling officers Col. Jabez Huntington for Windham County; Col. Gordon Saltonstall for New London County; Major E. H. Perkins for Hartford County. (See Col. Spotswood, JPUR U.H. War IV 54. Public Records of Connecticut, 1735-1743, R-9746 R-3 pp. 295, 354 and 420.)

Land forces were under the command of the British General Thomas Wentworth. There is said to have been little military co-ordination between the General and Admiral Vernon.

March 4th - attacked Cartegena, which was defended by 4,000 men.
March 6th - the British landed their troops and ordered the American troops to scale the walls. 112 dead and wounded.
March 16th - re-embarkation.
March 30th - sailed for Jamaica, reaching there with only 113 American Marines.
* June 25th - the will of Andrew Dodge II was proved in Hartford, Connecticut. (County Records 110, 313, 315.)
July - landed troops in Cuba where they remained until November, when they returned to Jamaica.

* Mt. Vernon was named after Admiral Vernon.

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AMERICAN ANCESTRY
of
SAMUEL TOMPKINS AND MARTHA ALPHENA (TODD) SCHUREMAN AND THEIR DESCENDANTS
By Frances Ida Schureman Judd of Detroit, Mich.
Continued from November-December.

Two Frenchmen, brothers, the Rev. David de Bonrepos, D. D., and DYl Elias de Bonrepos, from the north or west coast of France, were, with their families, among the great host of 500,000 natives of France who were driven by cruel religious persecution to any land which would receive them. Perhaps - even probably - Holland furnished the first refuge for these brothers. Elias in his will devised property in that country, as did many of those French refugees. They later sailed to the West Indies, where David became pastor of the French Huguenot Church at St. Christopher's Island. Even there their persecutors followed them. Once more they took passage, this time for Boston, Massachusetts. There, before 1686, David was the second pastor of the French Huguenot Church. He was still in Boston during the winter of 1687-88. In a report of the French Protestant Refugees in Boston, with letters written from there in November and December, 1687, reference was made to the fact that "M. de Bonrepos ('Elias') Brother of our Minister has bought an English residence fifteen miles from here, and at one Leage from a very pretty Town where there is a great trade, which they call Sallem (Salem)."
During the pastorate of the Rev. David de Bonrepos in Boston the "Council of Massachusetts Bay gave permission to the French Protestants to make use of the Latin Schoolhouse for their religious services". By Oct. 10, 1688 the Classis of Amsterdam was informed that "about 5 hours from here, where Nova Rupello (New Rochelle) is laid out, and is building up, a new (French) minister (David de Bonrepos) has arrived". He probably remained at New Rochelle until 1696 when he became pastor of the church at Staten Island, N. Y. July 3, and Oct. 22, 1699, communicants were "received at the table of the Lord in the congregation of the Paltz" (New Paltz, N.Y). "by Mr. Bonrepos, minister of the Word of God". "Document - History of New York" states that David de Bonrepos was naturalized under the seal of the Province Feb. 6, 1696.
Following are records of baptisms performed at the Church of Saint Esprit, New York City, translated from the original French by Delila Schureman Judd:
"Baptised today June 4, 1707 has been Francois son of Mons. Barthelemy I and Magdelaine Peret, godson of Franccis Gendron and his wife Magdelaine godmother his --- was born the sixth of March, baptized by Mons. de Bonrepos, Minister."
Another - "Today, April 23, 1708 has been baptized by Mr. de Bonrepos minister of Staten Island, Madeline, daughter of Jacques des Brosses and of Helene Gandineau, her father and mother. Godfather --- Jacques des brosses and Godmother Madeleine faucennier - the fourth - present month of April 1708. De Bonrepos."

From the records of the town of New Rochelle, N. Y. - Deed of David de Bonrepos to Elias de Bonrepos, 1718:
"To All Christian People to whom these presents shall come, David De Bonrepos of the city of Nieuw York Doctor of Divinity sends greeting, in our Lord God Everlasting Know yee that the said David Debonrepos by the Knowledge and consent of Blanche his wife for the consideration of the sum of twenty nine pound currant money of Niew York by Elias De Bonrepos of Niew Rochell husbandman, to them the said David Bon Repos and Blanche his sd wife and to one of them well and truly in hand paid before the sealing and delivery here of the receipt whereof they doe both hereby acknowledge themselves herewith to be fully satisfied have granted bargained and sold and doe by these presents grant bargaine and sell assure and confirme unto him the sd Elias B. Debonrepos his heirs and assigns forever all that certain piece or parcell of land situate and lying att Nieu Rochell aforesaid in the Manor of Pellham in the County of Westchester and province of New York aforesaid containing fifty acres of ground

ten acres thereof being in the small lott and bounded on the south by the Land of John Nolleau or his assigns on the north by boston Road on the east by the land of Gabriel Boytoulx and on the west by the land of Louis Bongrand and forty acres of said ground lying in the great lott, Bounded on the north by the land of Louis Bongrand on the south by the land of Elias Cothoneau on the west by the land of John Nolleau and on the east by Boston Road besides his proportionable interest in the commons of the six thousands acres of land and in the fresh and salt meadows of the six thousand acres therein comprehended some acres in the small commons and also eight acres of upland being part of a house lott situate in the precincts of Niew Rochelle aforesaid bounded on the north by the land of sd David De Bonropos on the south by the creek on the east by the land of the said Le Bontuelx and on the west by the land of Louis Bongrand, together with all houses buildings woods feeding pastures interests upon the commons and in the fresh and salt meadows belonging to the said divided of the said home lott and the reversions remanderents and profits thereof To have and to hold the said two parcells of land all and every other the premises before in these presents granted with all appurtenances unto him the sd Elias De bonropos his heirs and assignes to the sole and onely proper use and behoeff of him the sd Elias De Bonropos his heirs and assigns forever; and the sd David Debonropos the sd above granted premises and every parte and parcell thereof in the quiet and peaceable possession of sd Elias Debonropos his heirs and assigns, againtst all persons claiming any right to the same (the quiet rent hereafter due onely excepted) shall and will warrant and by these presents forever defend, in witness where of the sd David Debonropos and Blanche his wife."

Will of David de Bonropos: "In the name of God, Amen, June 16, 1733. I David De Bonropos, Minister of the Holy Gospel, in the County of Richmond" (Staten Island, N. Y.) "I leave to my wife Martha for her dower 50 (pounds), and 3 (pounds) in addition and two negro women which are at Jacob Bilyeas, and she shall have the interest on all my land. And as for my other negro wench namea 'Judde' and her child 'Elisah', I give the child to my wife and the mother to my heir. Also my wife is to have all household goods except a tankard and silver cup. I leave to John Lefort, of New York, 40 (pounds). To Blanche De Bonropos, wife of Henry Chadou of New Rochelle, 30 (pounds). To Anna Pamer" (Palmer) "and Hester Le Count, my nieces, 10 (pounds) each. To the three youngest sons of Alexander De Bonropos, 10 (pounds) each (names not given). I leave my silver tankard and silver cup and all the rest of my estate to David De Bonropos son of Alexander De Bonropos. My negro woman 'Sens' is to be maintained out of my estate. I appoint Barent Martlings, Paul Michaux and Nicholas Stillwell, Grandson and my wife executors. Witnesses Charles Taylor, Jacob Billau, Solomon Maclean. Proved before Walter Dongan, Esq. May 6, 1734".

Of David de Bonropos' first wife, Blanche, Boston history speaks thus: "David aided by his good wife Blanche, succeeded in healing the divisions caused by ----". (David's predecessor). She was living in 1718 when David was of "the city of Nieuw York" when they deeded land at New Rochelle to David's brother Elias. When David's will was drawn at Staten Island, June 6, 1733, the name of his wife was Martha. In her own will she called herself a widow of Staten Island and mentioned her several children by the name of "Brittain", doubtless the name of a previous husband.

"A History of Westchester Co., N. Y." Vol. I, p. 606, records: "Elias Bonropos was born in France in 1656." In 1687 he had purchased an English residence "at one League from a very pretty Town, and where there is a great Trade, which they call Sallem" (Salem, Massachusetts). He with his family removed from there to New Rochelle, New York, where Elias acquired land. The census of 1690 records his family thus: "Alie (Elie, Elias) bonropos ag 46; eastear bonropos is wiff ag 35; alie bonropos ag 13; alecandor bonropo ag 11; margreat bonropos ag 15" (Anna Marguerit (de Bonropos) Palmer); "eastor bonropos ag 05; blansh (Blanche) bonropos ag 03; Marian bonropos ag 01;

Jean a neagear woman ag 15". The list of 1710 records them thus: "Elias Bon Repo 54; Jane Bon Repos 47; John Bon Repo 11; Hester Bon Repo 17; Blanch Bon Repo 13; Mary Bon Repo 05." From these lists and other sources the family appears thus:

DY1 Elias B. de Bonrepos, b. ca. 1652 in France; will proved May 12, 1919 in Westchester County, New York; m. (1) Esther ---- b. 1663, living in 1698; m. (2) (prior to the census of 1710) Jane ---- b. 1663. As she was not mentioned in the will of her husband, April 3, 1719, it is likely that she was then deceased. As previously recorded, Elias de Bonrepos, born in France, went first to Holland (probably), thence to St. Christopher's Island in the West Indies, thence to Boston, Massachusetts, then to Salem, Massachusetts, and so to New Rochelle, New York, where he seems to have lived out his life span. He was spoken of in his brother David's deed as a "husbandman". He was also "licenced to keep school at New Rochelle in 1705". The license follows:
"Edward Viscou't Cornbury, Capt.- General and Governor-in-chief of Ye provinces of New York, New Jersies and Terri'es depending thereon in America and vice-admiral of Ye same, etc. To Elias Bon Repos greeting you are hereby impowered and licens'd to keep school within ye town of New Rochelle in ye County of Westchester and carefully and diligently to instruct ye children under yo' care and tuition in Ye art of Reading and writing during my pleasure, given under my hand and seal at New York this 23rd day of June 1705, and in Ye 4th Year of her Ma'tys Reign.

By his Excell'y command,
Will Anderson, D. Secretary,
Robert Hunter, Esq.
Capt. General and Governor-in-charge of New York and New Jersey.

Aug. 2, 1710 the petition for the church charter at New Rochelle was signed by Daniel Boudet, F. Alleau, Oliver Besley, P. Valleau and Elie De Bonrepos.

Children of DY1 Elias and Esther (-----) de Bonrepos:

DY2 I. Anna Marguerit 2 de Bonrepos (Margreat of the Census of 1698 and Anna Pamer of the will of her uncle, David de Bonrepos) b. 1683; living Nov. 12, 1748; m. AYa3 Obidiah Palmer, b. Apr. 25, 1680; d. Dec. 24, 1748. (Their children recorded earlier in this work.)

II. Elias 2 de Bonrepos (Alie of the Census of 1698; Elie of his father's will) living in 1719.

III. Alexander 2 de Bonrepos (Alecander of the Census of 1698) b. 1687; m. ----
Children of Alexander 2 and ----(----) de Bonrepos:
A. David 3 de Bonrepos, a beneficiary of the will of his uncle, David de Bonrepos; living in 1733.
B. C. and D. 3 sons were living in 1733.

IV. Esther 2 de Bonrepos (Easter of the Census of 1698 and Hester of the list of 1710) b. 1692; living in 1733; m. Peter Le Conte, probably the son of Guillaumme and Marguerita Le Conte, from France to England to America.
Child of Peter and Esther 2 (de Bonrepos) Le Conte:
A. Martha Le Conte, living in 1734.

V. Blanche 2 de Bonrepos (Blansh of the Census of 1698) b. 1695; living in 1733; m. Henry Chadeu of New Rochelle; living in 1733.

VI. Marian 2 de Bonrepos (probably Marie Anne) b. ca. 1697; recorded in the census of 1698.

VII. Jean 2 de Bonrepos (John of the Census of 1710) b. 1699.

Presumably the rest of the children were those of the second marriage of Elias de Bonrepos and Jane (----) de Bonrepos.

Children of DY1 Elias and Jane (----) de Bonrepos:

VIII. Martha 2 de Bonrepos, b. Feb. 4, 1704; bapt. French Huguenot Church at New Rochelle, New York, Apr. 2, 1704, sponsors, Col. Caleb Heatcote and Mad. Heatcote (Heathcote). Martha was not listed in the 1710 list, so it is likely that she died before that time.

IX. Mary 2 de Bonrepos, b. 1705.

Will of DY1 Elias 1 de Bonrepos (A translation from the original French) "Elie de Bonrepos. Notre Commencent Soit au Nom de Dieu, Amen. The 3rd of April 1719, I Elie De Bonrepos, dwelling in New Rochelle, in Westchester, being sick and very feeble in my body. I order and direct that my eldest son Elie De Bonrepos, shall have 5 shillings for his birthright. I direct that my daughter, Esther, shall be paid the sum of 25 pieces of money current in this Province, besides her equal share with the rest, in consideration of the good and amiable services she has rendered to me, and besides what goods I have here. I have some rights and goods in Holland, in the city of Flushing, and I recommend my children to use due diligence to collect the same, concerning which I have had some correspondence with Mr. Cottcau. I leave all my estate to my children with my blessing. My daughter Esther is to remain in possession of my house, and see that all things are done in accordance with this will. Witnesses: Anthony Lisponard, Ammon Guion, Joseph Le Conte. Proved before Colonel Caleb Heathcote, at Court of Common Pleas in Westchester, May 12, 1719."

AYb3 Nehemiah 3 Palmer, b. Aug. 22, 1693; will proved Mar. 30, 1761; m. EY5 Jane (Joan) Drake, "born Aug. 4, 1695 at sunset, in Eastchester", Westchester Co., N. Y.; daughter of EY4 Capt. John and Sarah (----) Drake of Eastchester. "Jane Palmer, wife of Nehemiah Palmer of Mamaroneck, dyed the 13 day 2 mo. 1726". ("Records of Friends, New York and Vicinity".)

Children of AYb3 Nehemiah 3 and EY5 Jane (Drake) Palmer:

I. Drake 4 Palmer, "Drake was born the 30 day of ye 7 mo. 1713" (Friends Records); of Eastchester, Westchester Co., N. Y.: Mar. 27, 1741; d. intestate; letters of administration granted to widow Feb. 4, 1746; m. Sarah Pell, Mar. 12, 1735/36.

II. Aaron 4 Palmer, b. May 23, 1715; d. before Feb. 1740; m. Elizabeth Cornell; she m. (2) Feb. 1740, Aaron Quimby.
Child of Aaron 4 and Elizabeth (Cornell) Palmer:
A. Sarah 5 Palmer, m. Benjamin Ferris, who died before 1800.

III. Nathan 4 Palmer, b. May 10, 1719, of Westchester; d. intestate; administration granted Benjamin Palmer April 21, 1760.

IV. Sarah 4 Palmer, b. May 17, 1721; d. before July 1760.

V. Elihu 4 Palmer, b. May 5, 1723; d. intestate; administration granted his brother Nathan, Feb. 10, 1757.

AYb4 VI. Mary 4 Palmer, b. Oct. 11, 1719; made her will May 23, 1791; m. Mar. 5, 1737, AYc4 Benjamin 4 Palmer ("New York Marriages"), b. Apr. 26, 1715 (Quaker births at Purchase, Westchester Co., N. Y.). Will probated May 10, 1800. (Of whom later.)

The births of all the children of Nehemiah and Jane (Drake) Palmer were recorded at Purchase, N. Y., except that of Mary, who, seemingly, was the only child to survive her father. No others were mentioned in his will, a digest of which follows: "Nehemiah Palmer, Mamaroneck, leaves to grand-daughter Sarah Ferris, daughter to my son Aaron Palmer, deceased, 10 (pounds). To daughter Mary 150 (pounds) and my silver tankard and silver tumbler. . .

To be continued.

DESCENDANTS OF PHILIP KRISE OF PENNSYLVANIA
Compiled by Mildred Irene Krise of Detroit, Michigan.
Continued from January-February.

E. Anna Dorothea Lee, b. Feb. 21, 1912; m. Marshall Schugg, b. Jan. 12, 1915; r. near Marcellus, Michigan.

Issue:

(a) Joy Elaine Shugg, b. Dec. 22, 1940.
(b) Marlene Ann Schugg, b. Aug. 14, 1942.

(4) Byron Milton Poorman, b. July 12, 1875; m. Dec. 19, 1895 to Eliza Smith, b. Nov. 1, 1878.

Issue:

A. Ida Mae Poorman, b. Mar. 17, 1896; d. Dec. 25, 1896.
B. Ethel Muriel Poorman, b. Oct. 28, 1900; d. Mar. 15, 1901.
C. Howard Milton Poorman, b. Aug. 30, 1905; d. Jan. 10, 1906.
D. Irma Poorman, b. Feb. 6, 1913; m. July 13, 1930 to James Linzey; r. Logansport, Indiana.

Issue:

(a) Robert Lee Linzey, b. Aug. 8, 1939.

(5) Charles George Poorman, b. Oct. 3, 1877; d. Oct. 16, 1940; m. (1) Carrie Stilson, (2) Cora Dienne; r. Hammond, Indiana.

Issue (by (2) marriage):

A. Marie Poorman, b. Oct. 8, 1922.

(6) Lola Clara Poorman, b. June 20, 1883; m. Dr. Howard Bee; r. Indiana, Pa.

Issue:

A. Howard Bee, b. Dec. 18, 1909; m. Sept. 7, 1940 to Gladys Overholt.
B. Mary Theresa Bee, b. Mar. 28, 1915; m. Oct. 10, 1940 to Charles Parks.

6. Alvin Poorman, b. Feb. 10, 1845; d. 1904; m. Kate Colbetser.
7. Elizabeth Jane Poorman, b. Oct. 9, 1850; m. (1) Samuel Plank, (2) William Woodward.

Issue, by (1) marriage:
(1) George Plank.

Issue, by (2) marriage:
(2) Stella Woodward.
(3) Olive Woodward.
(4) Orle Woodward.
(5) Ernest Woodward.

V. Grandfather Joseph Krise was born in Heidelberg Twp., Dauphin Co., Pa., on July 11, 1806 and died May 2, 1892 in Marcellus, Mich. He married Catharine Twitmyer in 1831. Catharine Twitmyer, daughter of John and Mary Hanor Twitmyer, was born Dec. 18, 1808 and died Feb. 23, 1881. She was probably born in Abbotstown, Adams Co., Pa.

Eight children were born to them; three died in infancy and were buried in Walker Twp., Center Co., Pa.

In 1846 Grandfather Joseph Krise and family came to Michigan from Pennsylvania, in a covered wagon, drawn by a team of oxen. They settled first on Prairie Rondo, near Schoolcraft, Kalamazoo County, later going to Nottawa Prairie, St. Joseph County, and to Marcellus, Mich. in 1856.

Grandfather was a member of the United Brethren congregation until sometime during the Civil War when there was a split in the church over war activities. Grandfather was a staunch Democrat and when some of the pastors called all Democrats "Copperheads", grandfather withdrew and became a charter member of the Evangelical church. He gave the Evangelical conference the present parsonage at

Marcellus, Michigan. He bought 150 acres from William Lutes, 30 acres of which were cleared. His farm was one mile east of Marcellus.
Issue:

1. Elizabeth Krise.
2. Harriet Krise.
3. Sarah Krise.
4. Margaret Krise.
5. Philip Krise.

1. Elizabeth Krise, b. Aug. 20, 1835, Walker Twp., Center Co., Pa., d. Aug. 27, 1927 in Carey, Ohio. She married Jan. 1, 1857, Milton D. Carpenter, b. Nov. 5, 1831 in Elmira, N. Y., d. Jan. 1, 1866 in Mendon Twp., St. Joseph Co., Mich.
   Issue:
   (1) Rhoda Almina Carpenter.
   (2) Adah Catherine Carpenter.
   (3) Gilbert Howard Carpenter.
   (4) Mary Louise Carpenter.

   (1) Rhoda Almina Carpenter, b. Mendon Twp., St. Joseph Co., Mich., July 15, 1859; m. Dec. 18, 1888 to Wesley L. Schick in Mendon.
   Issue:
   A. Floyd Milton Schick, b. Aug. 19, 1891 in Moorepark, Mich.; m. Dec. 25, 1912 to Marguerite Hagen of Lee's Summit, Mo.
   Issue:
   (a) Howard Milton Schick, b. Jan. 21, 1914; m. to Effie Markland.
   (b) Dorothy Ann Schick, b. Jan. 25, 1916; m. (1) Jan. 2, 1932 to Robert Lesher (separated); m. (2) Apr. 30, 1937 to Clyde R. Baker.
   Issue by (1) marriage:
   (1a) Betty Jee Lesher, b. Dec. 4, 1932.
   Issue by (2) marriage:
   (2a) Raymond Milton Baker, b. Nov. 7, 1940; r. Kansas City, Mo.
   (c) Mary Margaret Schick, b. Apr. 28, 1918; m. Mar. 1, 1938 to Elmer Kessler; r. Lee's Summit, Missouri.
   Issue:
   (1a) Margaret Ann Kessler, b. Apr. 13, 1940.
   B. Keneth Wesley Schick, son of Wesley and Rhoda Almina Carpenter Schick, b. Apr. 29, 1902; Garden City, Mo., died at birth.
   (2) Adah Catherine Carpenter, b. May 10, 1861 in Mendon Twp., St. Joseph Co., Mich.; m. Mar. 11, 1886 to Lyman D. Trubey in Three Rivers, Mich. Lyman was b. Aug. 27, 1859; d. Feb. 5, 1935 in Carey, Ohio.
   Issue:
   A. Nina Beth Trubey.
   B. Carl Carpenter Trubey.
   C. Gladys Glenn Trubey.
   D. Irma Joyce Trubey.
   E. Millton Lyman Trubey.

   A. Nina Beth Trubey, b. Aug. 4, 1887; m. Clarence Lawhead.

Issue:

(a) Ruth Elizabeth Lawhead, b. Apr. 14, 1912; d....

(b) Anna Dorothy Lawhead, b. Mar. 14, 1913; m. 1940.

B. Carl Carpenter Truboy, b. Apr. 25, 1889; m. to Eva Gibson of McCutchenville, Ohio; r. Carey, Ohio.

Issue:

(a) Wanda Doll Ada Truboy, b. Nov. 20, 1911; m. to ----- Anderson; r. Lorraine, Ohio.

C. Gladys Glenn Truboy, b. July 4, 1891; m. to Lynn K. Schuman; r. near South Lyon, Mich., R.F.D. Wixom, Mich.

Issue:

(a) Katherine Naomi Shuman, b. Jan. 13, 1912; m. Ford Jones; r. South Lyon, Mich., R.F.D.

Issue:

(1a) Robert F. Jones, b. Aug. 31, 1935.

(2a) Neil Harmon Jones, b. Feb. 19, 1937.

(b) Dorothy Elizabeth Shuman, b. Mar. 3, 1915. In County Treasurer's Office in Pontiac, Mich.

(c) Glenna Jean Shuman, b. Nov. 7, 1923.

D. Irma Joyce Truboy, b. Dec. 9, 1892; m. David Chesebrough of Carey, Ohio; r. Fenton, Mich.

Issue:

(a) Lucile Chesebrough, b. July 24, 1915; m. Lewis Durkee; r. San Francisco, California.

(b) Claire Edward Chesebrough, b. Jan. 6, 1924.

(c) Ralph Chesebrough, b. 1930.

E. Milton Lyman Truboy, b. June 1, 1905; unm; r. Carey, Ohio. He is an auditor and public accountant in business for himself. His offices in Carey and Fostoria, Ohio.

(3) Gilbert Howard Carpenter, b. Jan. 10, 1863 in Mendon Twp., St. Joseph Co., Mich., married Genevra Lanning, April 5, 1896 at Rawson, Ohio.

Issue:

A. Infant son, b. Dec. 21, 1897; d. Dec. 24, 1897.

B. Harley Milton Carpenter, b. Jan. 9, 1899; d. Sept. 26, 1940; m. Apr. 16, 1927 to Mary Elizabeth York.

Issue:

(a) Florence Joan Carpenter, b. Jan. 10, 1928.

C. Florence Irene Carpenter, b. Apr. 27, 1902; m. April 27, 1927 to Joseph H. Gwynne.

Note: Gilbert Howard Carpenter, his wife, and Mrs. Harley Carpenter and her daughter Joan reside near Kinsman, Ohio.

(4) Mary Louise Carpenter, b. Oct. 19, 1866 in Mendon Twp., St. Joseph Co., Mich.; m. Samuel Thomas McLean in New Orleans, La., Mar. 31, 1903.

Issue:

A. William Carpenter McLean, b. Apr. 5, 1904; m. in Chicago, Ill., Feb. 17, 1934 to Joyce Wood Mundt, b. June 6, 1911.

Issue:

(a) Judith Ann McLean "Judy", b. Jan. 5, 1936 in Chicago, Ill.

(b) William Carpenter McLean II, b. Oct. 1, 1940 in Chicago, Ill.

2. Harriet Krise, daughter of Joseph and Catherine T. Krise, b. June 4, 1840 in Walker Twp., Center Co., Pa.; d. Nov. 4, 1879; m. on Sept. 10, 1860 to Gideon Beebe, b. Oct. 15, 1853, d. Apr. 16, 1882; son of Gordon and Margaret Beebe.

Gideon was in 25th Mich. Infantry C. W. three years. Was a farmer.
Issue:

A. Eva May Beebe, b. Aug. 21, 1861; d. Oct. 5, 1874.
B. Margaret C. Beebe, b. May 3, 1863; d. Nov. 9, 1880.
C. Elizabeth Beebe, b. Jan. 28, 1865; d. Mar. 10, 1882.
D. Cora H. Beebe, b. Feb. 8, 1868; d. Oct. 27, 1945
E. Edith M. Beebe, b. Apr. 12, 1874; d. Dec. 25, 1932.
F. Glennie M. Beebe, b. Aug. 21, 1878; d. Mar. 17, 1888; near Marcellus, Michigan.

D. Cora H. Beebe m. Frank W. Hutchins, Mar. 21, 1894 in Three Rivers, Michigan.
Issue:

(a) Ethel Marie Hutchins, b. Dec. 30, 1896; d. July 23, 1926; m. Marvin E. Hissong, June 2, 1917.
Issue:

(1a) Philip Hutchins Hissong, b. Mar. 24, 1918; m. Evelyn Curtis at Walkertown, Ind., Feb. 5, 1939; r. Battle Creek, Mich. Philip works at the American Marsh Pumps, Inc., Battle Creek; defense work.
Issue:

(1aa) Sandra Jean Hissong, b. Feb. 21, 1942, Battle Creek, Mich.

(2a) Margaret Jean Hissong, b. Aug. 18, 1923. Jean is an inspector at the Wilcox-Rich Division of Eaton Mfg. Co. in Battle Creek; r. with her brother Philip.

E. Edith M. Beebe, b. Apr. 12, 1874; d. Dec. 25, 1932; m. Randolph Naylor, May 1, 1893.
Issue:

(a) Beryl B. Naylor, b. Nov. 23, 1895 in Flowerfield Twp., St. Joseph Co., Mich.; m. July 3, 1922 to Marion Grey, b. June 26, 1896 in Altoona, Pa.; r. Tucson, Arizona.

(b) Milton Krise Naylor, b. Jan. 19, 1898, Flowerfield, Mich.; m. May 7, 1925 to Harriet De Mink, b. Oct. 3, 1904 in Kalamazoo, Mich.; r. Chicago, Ill.
Issue:

(1a) Boyd D. Naylor, b. Dec. 7, 1932, Three Rivers, Michigan.

(c) Raymon R. Naylor, b. Sept. 5, 1906, Three Rivers, Mich.; m. June 6, 1930 to Lucile Atwood, b. Oct. 31, 1903 at Durand, Ill.; r. Northbrook, Ill.

3. Sarah A. Krise, daughter of Joseph and Catherine T. Krise, b. Sept. 14, 1837 in Walker Twp., Center Co., Pa.; d. Feb. 17, 1899; m. Feb. 5, 1857 to Daniel J. Brown, b. Apr. 17, 1832, Columbia Co., Pa., d. Feb. 21, 1920, Marcellus, Mich. (Record from family bible of Daniel J. Brown.)
Issue:

A. Violet Harriet Brown, b. July 23, 1858; d. May 26, 1889.
B. Joseph G. Brown, b. Apr. 1860; d. Nov. 18, 1930.
C. Jimmie Brown, b. Dec. 26, 1874; d. Dec. 30, 1874.
D. Ernest M. Brown, b. July 7, 1876; d. Mar. 14, 1905; unm.
E. Blanch Brown, b. Nov. 19, 1879; d. Nov. 1898; unm.

To be continued.

A CARUTHERS FAMILY RECORD

Contributed by Miss Isabella Neff Burnet
of Charlottesville, Virginia.
Concluded from January - February.

2. Phoebe Caruthers, born May 3, 1773, married Major Alexander Shields of Lexington. Hotel keeper in Lexington. Lived about two miles south of Lexington. Farmer. Presiding Justice Rockbridge Co. Died in Rockbridge Co. later than July 20, 1819. 4 children at least.
    1. George Washington Shields. Wash. Coll. 1814. Merchant. To Tuscumbia, Ala. Died September 17, 1827.
    2. Anne C. Shields, married John A. Cumings. Merchant in Lexington, say 1830-47. Farmer afterwards. 6 children.
        1. Alexander Shields Cumings, born Oct. 10, 1819, died in early manhood, Jan. 16, 1841; at Wash. Coll. 1837-8.
        2. Mary Cumings, married Marcellus McKennie. He, born 1824, Cadet Va. Mil. Inst. Univ. of Va. 1839-40-44. M. D. Bookseller, Univ. of Va. Some of their children.
            1. Clement P. McKennie, eldest son of Dr. Marcellus and Mary McKennie of Albemarle Co., born Jan 26, 1840; died June 27, 1854. (Tombstone in Lexington Churchyard)
            2. John Cumings McKennie, born 1849. Univ. of Va. 1869. Bookseller Univ. of Va.
            3. George Marcellus McKennie, born 1853. University Va. 1870-71. Merchant, Charlottesville, Va.
        3. Anne Jane Cumings, lives (1889) with her sister, Mrs. McKennie, since her mother's death, unmarried.
        4. James Caruthers Cumings, Wash. Coll. 1845-6. Deputy Clerk of Court. Died Sept. 16, 1853. Unmarried.
        5. George Washington Shields Cumings, A. B. Wash. Coll. 1846. Rockbridge Co. lawyer. To Yreka, Siskiyou Co., Cal. States Attorney, died Nov. 30, 1859.
        6. John Cumings, Soldier C.S.A. in Rockbridge cavalry. Married ---- Mackay, daughter of Hugh Mackou. Had at least two children, a son and a daughter. The son probably went west. The daughter, called "Johnnie" Cumings for her father, boarded about 1866, at Bolivar Leach's in Rockbridge Co. and went to school. Died say 1871.
    3. Mary Shields, married Patrick Burton of Bedford Co. His second wife. He kept a hotel in Lexington, then became a physician and practised medicine. He moved to Holly Springs, Miss. Had, when he kept the hotel in Lexington, a number of children.
    4. John Nelson Shields, Wash. Coll. 1822. Merchant. To Richmond, Va. Married in Richmond. Died August 1860.
3. Isaac Caruthers. Was engaged in merchandising in Lexington, Va. for many years in partnership with his brother William under the firm name of Isaac Caruthers and Co. Afterwards he lived at and partly owned the Salt Sulphur Springs, Monroe, W. Va. His wife was Jane Benson, who was born June 4, 1792, died Oct. 2, 1818, buried in Lexington Churchyard. This from a letter written by Wm. Caruthers of De Soto, Fla., Sept. 6, 1889: "Waddell says, Annals Suppl., p. 445, Ann Poague married Isaac Caruthers and left numerous descendants. You say, correctly I believe, he married Miss Jane Benson and left only a daughter; Miss Poague was his mother. Mrs. Lane, who was Miss Poague, told me the other day she remembered he was called and received by her parents as Cousin Isaac." One daughter.
    1. Mary Ann Caruthers, married Robinson of Petersburg, Va.

ROBERT CARUTHERS. Farmer, lived on Timber Ridge, a mile north of Fairfield in Rockbridge County. Died in 1781, in middle life, leaving a family of young children.

His will, in Lexington: "To my only son William" my plantation, and he is to have a horse, etc. when he becomes 18. Provides for wife Ann and daughters, Margaret, Phoebe, Esther, Hannah, Nancy. Date of will March 3, 1781. Proved April 3, 1781. Security 100,000, as recorded in will book in Lexington, obviously an error for 1000-0-0.

His wife was Ann Alexander, an aunt of the Rev. Archibald Alexander of Princeton. She was born in Chester County, Pa., Sept. 17, 1740. Her will dated Jan. 12, 1819, and proved May 30, 1821, shows that she lived to be about 80 years of age. In the will she makes provision for her son Robert, born after his father's death.

The family of Robert and Ann Caruthers consisted of two sons and five daughters.

1. Margaret Caruthers, named in her father's will in 1781, not in her mother's will in 1819. Maj. A. B. Stuart's family notes say she married a McPhecters.
2. William Caruthers, a minor in 1781, under 18. Married a Miss Wilson of Rockbridge Co. Removed to Alabama. Was dead in 1819. In his mother's will, made in 1819, the following are called children of her deceased son William
    1. Robert Caruthers.
    2. Wilson Caruthers.
    3. Archibald Caruthers.
    4. Nancy Caruthers.
    5. William Caruthers.
3. Phoebe Caruthers, married a Wilson. Lived near Jonesboro, Tenn. Was alive in 1819.
4. Esther Caruthers. Married Wm. McCrory of Rockbridge Co. Lived near Fairfield. Their descendants are probably all dead. (1889)
5. Nancy Caruthers, married a Wilson of Rockbridge Co. She lived in 1824. Had two children, a son and a daughter. The latter did not marry. The son was:
    1. James Wilson. Lived on a farm between Fairfield and New Providence Church. Born say 1810, farmer. Married, first a Wilson, a distant cousin. Had one son and two daughters by the first marriage.
        1. Frank Wilson. Teacher. Held some county office. Lives (1889) near Greenville, Augusta Co., Va. Married Margaret Lambert. Two children.
        2. Anne Wilson, married Edward Wilson, a cousin. Removed about 1881 to near Sherman, Texas. Several children.
        3. A daughter, married John Lambert, farmer, older Bethel Church, Augusta Co. They have (1889) children.

    James Wilson married for his second wife, Margaret Patton of Rockbridge. Two daughters by this marriage.
6. Hannah Caruthers, married Andrew Cummins. Farmer, on South River, Rockbridge Co., Va. She living (1842). 8 children.
    1. John S. Cummins, born say 1804. Farmer, Timber Ridge, Falling Springs. Married first Jane M. Campbell. She was born July 5, 1804, died April 24, 1835 in her 31st year, without issue. He married second Harriet Hamilton, 1837, and had 7 children. He died about 1879. The second wife died about 1872. John S. Cummins was for a while a clerk in John F. Caruthers store in Lexington.
        1. Andrew Cummins. Killed C.S.A.
        2. Margaret Cummins, married John Moore, son of James C. C. Moore of Rockbridge Co. Farmer, near Wesley Chapel. Issue:
        3. Elizabeth Cummins. Living 1889. Unmarried.
        4. Anna Jacobs Cummins, died in early life. Unmarried.
        5. Miller Cummins, lives (1889) unmarried.
        6. Charles Cummins, lives (1889), unmarried.
        7. A daughter, married.

2. Esther Cummins) All these died, unmarried, of consumption.
3. Nancy Cummins)
4. Hannah Cummins)
5. Betsey Cummins)
6. Andrew Cummins. Farmer. South River, Rockbridge Co. Married Isabella Alexander, daughter of Andrew Alexander and Isabella Paxton. She died early, no children.
7. Samuel Cummins, married Phoebe Alexander, daughter of Andrew Alexander and Isabella Paxton. He also was a farmer on South River. Six children.
    1. Isabella Cummins.
    2. Ann Eliza Cummins.
    3. Sarah Cummins.
    4. John Andrew Cummins, soldier, C.S.A. Died soon after the war of 1861-5, unmarried.
    5. Ella Cummins, married William Parrent. Farmer. Lived (1889) on the old Andrew Cummins farm on South River. She died March 1890. Issue.
    6. A daughter, died early.
8. William Caruthers Cummins, was a clerk in John F. Caruthers store in Lexington. Died in Lewisburg, Greenbrier Co., W. Va. Unmarried.

MAJOR JAMES CARUTHERS. "Born September 1759, died June 15, 1828." is inscribed on his gravestone in Lexington cemetery. He was a Presiding Justice of Rockbridge County for more than thirty years, and was one of the few Justices who enjoyed for a second period of two years the lucrative office of High Sheriff of the county, having been sheriff 1802-4 and again 1821. Was Major of the Second Battallion, Eighth Regiment, Thirteenth Brigade, Third Division, Virginia Militia; qualified as such Sept. 17, 1799. Lived near Lexington.

His will is recorded in Lexington. It gives his wife Hannah the use of his North River plantation during life. Son John gets half the boatyard, mills and plantation, and half the entries adjoining, and half a tract of mountain land. Son William H. gets half boatyard, mills, plantation and entries adjoining, and the North River plantation after the wife Hannah's death. Provision is made for son Samuel, son Franklin (under age at date of will), and daughters Mary, Margaret, and Betsey, all of whom are single at date of will. Testator disposes of house and several lots in Lexington, and lands in Ohio. Date of will June 2, 1828, proved Aug. 4, 1828. Wife Hannah and son William, Executors. One of the witnesses was Henry McClung (no doubt Capt. Henry).

Major James Caruthers' wife was Hannah Paxton, daughter of John Paxton and his wife Martha Blair, and sister of the mother of Gen. Sam Houston, President of Texas.

Major James Caruthers (born 1759) and Hannah Paxton had nine children, six sons and three daughters.

1. John P. Caruthers. Gave bond as commissioner of the revenue tax in Rockbridge Co., Jan. 1, 1821. Lived at the mouth of Buffalo creek. Removed to Mississippi. One of his sons was:
    1. William C. Caruthers, at Was. Coll. 1860, from De Soto, Miss. Soldier C.S.A. Died in 1888.
2. Madison Caruthers. Is not named in James Caruthers' will in 1828, but Judge McLaughlin says he was James' son. Took A.B. at Wash. Coll. in 1813, registering from Rockbridge Co. Removed to New Orleans. Died in 1888. Two of his sons were educated at Wash. Coll, namely:
    1. Charles F. Caruthers, 1837. Cotton merchant New Orleans.
    2. Henry A. Caruthers, 1841. Cotton merchant.
3. James Caruthers, Wash. College, 1815. Merchant Lexington, Va. Died May 10, 1826.
4. Col. Wm. H. Caruthers. Wash. Coll. 1818. Farmer Rockbridge Co., near

Lexington. Removed to Bedford Co., then to Nottoway Co., Va. Held office in C. S. Army. Died 1887. Was married over 50 years. His widow lived(1888) in Tampa, Fla. Her oldest daughter was:

1. Mrs. Lavesia Packwood, who was living (1888) in Tampa, Fla., as was also a son, namely:
2. Wm. H. C. Caruthers.

5. Samuel Oliver Caruthers, Wash. College, 1821. Physician. Removed to Fincastle and practiced there. Then to Holly Springs, Miss. Was a surgeon in C. S. Army. Died 1870. His wife was Anne Bacchus of Fincastle, the oldest sister of Mrs. Young, matron of McDonogh School since 1873. Issue.
6. Benjamin Franklin Caruthers. A. B. Wash. College, 1828. Lawyer. Removed to Wythevillo, Va., then to Carrollton, Miss. District Attorney of Carroll Co., Miss. Judge of the Circuit Court. Died 1855.
7. Polly Caruthers, married late in life a Brown, second Andrew Weir in Mississippi.
8. Margaret Caruthers, married James N. Woods (see November-December issue, p.41)
9. Betsey Caruthers, married Daniel Brown, one of his wives. She had a daughter
   1. Lizzie Brown, who died single about 1885 or 6.

RACHEL CARUTHERS. She is mentioned in the will of her brother, Samuel Caruthers, proved in Lexington in 1770. No other trace of her has been found.

Additional information furnished by Miss Agnes McClung Wills, Trevilians, Virginia.

James Lomuel Wills (Son of Willis H. Wills and Elizabeth Peters Wills) born January 26, 1829 - died October 7, 1893, married Martha Ann Lyle (daughter of James Graham Lyle and Elvira C. McClung Lyle) (see this magazine November-December, p. 42) born April 4, 1831 - died November 6, 1898. Married November 20, 1856 by the Rev. Joseph R. Wilson. 10 children.

1. Emma Lyle Wills, born September 15, 1857 - died April 26, 1910. She married Frank T. West and had eight children.
   1. Frank T. West Jr.
   2. Agnes McClung West.
   3. Thomas F. West.
   4. Martha Lyle West.
   5. James Lomuel Wills West.
   6. Emma Lyle West) Twins.
   7. Arianna Randolph West)
   8. George West.
2. Bessie Haskins Wills, born June 6, 1859 - died January 28, 1922. She married John William Flannagan. Had four sons, one died in infancy.
   1. Wills Flannagan.
   2. John William Flannagan, Jr. Member of U. S. House of Representatives.
   3. Henry A. Flannagan.
3. James Graham Wills, born April 15, 1861 - died March 8, 1893, in Jacksboro, Texas. Married Lula Ashton. One daughter.
4. Henry Alexander Wills, born May 4, 1863 - died May 21, 1937 in Jacksboro, Texas. Married Loretta Ashton. No children.
5. Willis Lyle Wills, born July 29, 1865, died November 3, 1865.
6. Plumer Wills, born September 6, 1866, married Clara Buford.
7. Agnes McClung Wills)
8. Martha Lyle Wills) Twins, born September 11, 1869. Agnes McClung Wills never married. Martha Lyle Wills married Rev. R. B. Eggleston; two children.
   1. R. Beverley Eggleston, Jr.
   2. Martha Eggleston.
9. Frederick Peters Wills, born March 4, 1972. Not married.
10. Elvira Cabble Wills, born April 11, 1875. Married W. C. Boxley - ten children.

The ages of Henry McClung Family (see this magazine November-December, p. 42)
Henry McClung and Esther Caruthers married February 27, 1766.

Henry McClung born 1739
Esther Caruthers born 18 of Sept. 1744
Mary McClung born in 1766
James McClung born 7 of Dec. 1767
William McClung, born 10 of September 1769
Samuel McClung, born 20 August, 1771
Henry McClung, born 22 of April, 1773
Mary McClung, born 24 of April, 1775
Margarete McClung, born 11 of August 1777
Esther McClung, born 28 February 1780
(Signed) Hatty McClung.

(Copied from an old letter. Hattie McClung was one of the children of Margarete.) (Editor- see p. 59 of January-February issue. Was she not the daughter of Esther McClung rather than Margarete, Esther married a McClung.)

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EXCERPT FROM DIARY OF VINCENT PRESNITZ WHITNEY - 1876
Contributed by Hallam Spencer Whitney of Cleveland, Ohio.

Editor's Note: See note on page 83 of the January-February issue of this magazine.

From this diary it is evident that V. P. Whitney had, and still attended the old GRAND RIVER INSTITUTE in Ashtabula County, Ohio. HSW
1876
Jan. 4th, Miss Lynn teaches Algebra.
Jan. 10th, Albert Root & Will Baldwin were neighbors.
Jan. 18th, In a dialogue with a Miss Loomis at the Institute, and talked with an A. E. Whitney of another Whitney branch about the Whitney History.
Jan. 19th, Attended lecture by J. G. Holland, Editor of Scribners.
Jan. 26th, ... Davis, teacher at the Institute.
Feb. 12th, Made a call on a Mr. Tucker, about teaching a school.
Feb. 14th, Ab Calaway, a neighbor.
Josiah Baldwin teaches penmanship evenings.
Feb. 21st, Frank Calaway, neighbor.
Helped Baldwins, Calaways, Pierce & Roots put up ice.
Feb. 25th, Went hunting with Albert Root and Cash Foreman.
March ... Mother of V. P. W. sold some land to Mr. Pierce.
June 20th, Mr. Thurber helped rebuild our barn.
June 15th, Tended mason for a Mr. Decker.
July 11th, Helped Elmer Thurber & Mr. Baldwin bind wheat.
Sept. 9th, Secured a school at (?)
Sept. 11th, Took sister Carrie to Geneva, hired horse of Mr. Shepherd.
Oct. 30th, Hired a Rob. Williams.

Other neighbors mentioned by last names: Mr. Root, father of Steve & Albert; Mr. Stewart, Mr. Rider (Ryder), Bacon, Spencer, Scovil, Clapp, Quimby, Mrs. Stewart, Mr. Reed, Bates.

Bee men at Geneva: D.H. Threep, A. Wiard, Stevens, Holden, F. W. Gould.
Bee men at Saybrook: Irish, Scovil, Miller, Latimer, Alcot, Simonds.
G. Rulas kept store at Austinburg, Ohio.

Col. Brush at Euclid, O.
N. O. Lee at Painesville, O.
J. H. Tryon & H. G. Tryon at Willoughby, O.
H. C. King at Mentor, O.

ARZA PARKER FAMILY RECORD

Contributed by Mrs. Fred A. Tiedgen of Royal Oak, Michigan.

Note:- The following record was dictated by Ada Louise Clark, grand-daughter of Arza Parker, to her daughter, Iva May Suiter of Hollister, California, from Bible records of Arza Parker and Silas Smith Parker. MTT

Arza Parker, son of Silas Parker and Sarah Smith, was born Sept. 26, 1792; died June 8, 1865; married, February 15, 1824, Nancy Hecock, born Nov. 4, 1793, died August 22, 1850, Ohio Grove, Illinois.

Children:

1. Silas Smith Parker, born Dec. 29, 1824; died Nov. 24, 1908.
2. Marion Parker, born March 12, 1827; died Oct. 28, 1891.
3. Sarah Ann Parker, born January 1, 1829; died January, 1864.
4. Helen Cytheria Parker, born March 19, 1831; died June 4, 1900.
5. Arza Parker, Jr., born February 4, 1833; died February 13, 1853 (unmarried).
6. Syble Parker, born April, 1836; died July, 1837.

1. Silas Smith Parker, born Dec. 29, 1824, Orleans Co., New York; to Saratoga, Calif. died November 24, 1908; married (1) Mary Ann Chesbro of New York State, Feb. 10, 1847; married (2) Nettie J. Miller of Twin Grove, Illinois, died 1900. No children.

2. Marion Parker, Orleans Co., New York to DeKalb Co., Illinois to San Jose, Calif.; born March 12, 1827; died Oct. 28, 1891; married Zenas Churchill from New York State.

   Children:

   1. Ella Churchill, born November 20, 1846; died August 15, 1910.
   2. Herman Churchill, born Sept. 22, 1849; died Feb. 28, 1909.
   3. David Churchill, born April 9, 1856; died June 19, 1903.

3. Sarah Ann Parker, Orleans Co., New York to DeKalb Co., Illinois to Cedar Falls, Iowa, born January 1, 1829; died January 20, 1864; married April 10, 1854, George Clark of Maple Grove, Illinois, brother of Charles Clark (below). George Clark died December 17, 1863.

   Children:

   1. Emma Frances Clark, born April 3, 1855; living in 1937.
   2. Rosalia Rachel Clark, born Nov. 7, 1857; died Dec. 27, 1932.
   3. Nellie Ann Clark, born Aug. 18, 1859; died Oct. 16, 1883.
   4. Ada Louise Clark, born Mar. 8, 1861; living in 1937.

4. Helen Cytheria Parker, Orleans Co., New York to Dekalb Co., Illinois to Saratoga, California, born Mar. 19, 1831; died June 4, 1900; married Dec. 13, 1849, Charles Clark of Maple Park, Illinois, son of Lorenza M. Clark and Rachel Moody, both of Connecticut.

   Children:

   1. Nancy Matilda Clark, born Dec. 24, 1850; died 1915.
   2. Oscar Eugene Clark, born Jan. 14, 1858; died June 1, 1928.
   3. Bertha Jane Clark, born Oct. 18, 1865; died Feb. 27, 1928.

Note:- Arza Parker married (2), January 27, 1856, Climonia (Pease) Parker, widow of his brother, Abel Parker. He is buried in West Reading Cemetery, Hillsdale County, Michigan. MTT

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RECORDS FROM THREE MACOMB COUNTY, MICHIGAN, CEMETERIES
Copied by Floyd A. Church of Utica, Michigan.

1. EWELL CEMETERY- This cemetery is across from the Ewell school, corner of Shelby Road and Coldwater Road, two miles west of Van Dyke. It is a veritable thicket; probably many stones not found are under the sod. All visible stones copied.

CRAMPTON
Phebe Crampton, formerly wife of Joseph B. Moore, died Nov. 22, 1864. Aged 71-10-14. "We miss thee, Mother."
MOORE
Joseph B. Moore - who died April 14, 1835. Aged 45-0-24. Inscription.
EWELL
Mary Ann, dau. of L & E Ewell. Died Sept. 26, 1852. Aged 10-7-0. Footstone "M. A. E."
Alphous, son of L & E Ewell died Aug 5, 1845. Aged 0-1-7
Thadeus, son of L & E Ewell, died Aug. 4, 1844. Aged 0-6-0. Footstone "T.E."
COOPER
William C. Cooper, born Nov. 30, 1808, in Mansfield, Warren Co., N. J. Died Jan 15, 1853. Aged 44-1-15.
MOORE
Euphemy Moore, wife of Clem Cheney, born Dec. 20, 1819 - died Sept. 15, 1836.
CHENEY
Clem Cheney, born 1805, died 1844.
John F., son of J.B. & A. J. Cheney, died April 17, 1862. AE 20 yrs.
Footstone "J.F.C."
TRIPP
Mary Ann, wife of Sylvester P. Tripp, died Feb. 20, 1857. AE 31-9-18.
Footstone "M.A.T."
William H., son of S.D. & M.A. Tripp, died Aug 25, 1851. AE 2m, 4 days.
Footstone "W.H.T."
BURGESS
Mary, wife of Harvey Burgess, died May 5, 1856. AE 71-7-5. Footstone "M.B."
SMITH
Mary J., dau. of A.J. & I Smith, died March 9, 1861. Aged 2-7-17. Footstone "M. J. S." Inscription.
CASLER
Lorotta Estella, dau. of Benj'n & Jane E. Casler, died Aug. 3, 1852. Aged 11 mos.
Jay, son of Benj. & Jane E. Casler, died Aug. 10, 1850. Aged 1 yr. 5 mos.

2. CURTIS CEMETERY - This cemetery is on Shelby Road, 1/8 mile south of Runyan Road, west of Van Dyke Ave. in Shelby Twp. All stones were copied.

WELLS
Samuel D. Wells d. Aug. 11, 1833 aged 47-4-0
Lydia, wife of Samuel D. Wells, d. Sept. 22, 1855 aged 66-1-20
Samuel D. Wells, Jr. "died in Mexico" May 30, 1848, aged 30-7-0
Nelson Wells, d. Jan. 26, 1831, aged 30-6-0
George S. Wells, d. Sept. 28, 1847, aged 23-8-0

3. UTICA CEMETERY - This cemetery is on Cass Ave. in the city of Utica, Macomb Co., Michigan. Not all the records have been copied here.

EWELL
Peleg Ewell d. March 1, 1860 AE 75-5-0
Clarissa, wife of Peleg Ewell, d. Nov. 8, 1844. Aged 56-1-0

WELLS

Mrs. Avalina Wells, consort of Wm. P. Wells and dau. of Pelog and Clarissa Ewell, d. Dec. 11, 1843. Aged 28-10-10.
William P. Wells, d. Aug. 20, 1864. AE 50-7-22.
Irene Ewell Wells Dec. 17, 1821 - Aug. 20, 1906.
Seth J. Wells member Co. K, 17th Vol. Inf. Ill. died at Vicksburg, July 10, 1861 of wound received in the battle at Jackson, Miss., July 1861. Aged 22 yrs.
(These stones found way back of "Old Half Acre".)

EWELL

Alexander R., son of Philander & Lydia A. Ewell, b. Sept. 17, 1843, d. March 18, 1845. Aged 1-6-1
George, son of Philander & Lydia, b. Oct. 6, 1847, d. Feb. 18, 1864. Aged 16-7-12.
Lydia A., wife of Philander Ewell, b. Nov. 6, 1809, d. Oct. 15, 1866. Aged 56-11-8
Sarah M., 2nd wife of Philander Ewell, d. April 13, 1876. Aged 66-3-8.
Philander Ewell b. March 3, 1809 - d. Aug. 17, 1895.
S. D. Ewell d. Apr. 12, 1876. Aged 42-7-15.
Lydia M., dau. of J. N. & E. A. Ewell, d. Oct. 7, 1873. Aged 17-2-10.
Frank, son of J. N. & E. A. Ewell, d. Dec. 19, 1876. Aged 4 mo. 10 days.
Ervin Edgar Ewell Oct. 19, 1857 - Feb. 7, 1904.
J. Nelson Ewell Nov. 20, 1822 - Oct. 18, 1912.

CANNON

Elsa A. Cannon, wife of J. N. Ewell, Nov. 13, 1833 - Mar. 3, 1894.
Alex R., George W., Sarah M., Lydia A., Father (Small stones, west side.)
Lydia, Eber, Frankie, Edgar, (Small stones, same lot.)
Sarah A. Snock, Nov. 16, 1841 - May 2, 1931.
Nellie B. Ewell, nee Harris, b. March 23, 1862, d. Dec. 12, 1939.
Emory P. Ewell, born April 12, 1859, d. Sept. 21, 1893.
(These stones found in front of "Old Half Acre".)

CHAPEL

"Father" Francis Chapel 1818 - 1886
"Mother" Freelove Chapel 1827 - 1880
Maria, wife of Francis Chapel, d. June 6, 1847. AE 23-11-23.
Roswell Chapel, died Oct. 26, 1844. Aged 54 yrs.
Polly Chapel, died Oct. 30, 1852. Aged 67 yrs.

COVELL

James Covell, d. June 21, 1867, aged 71 yrs. & 6 mos. "Father & Mother".
Nancy, wife of James Covel, b. Feb. 4, 1802, d. Oct. 31, 1890.
James S. Covel d. June 10, 1890. Age 48 yr.
Hatie, his wife
(Small stones) James Covel, Nancy Covel, James.
Persis Covel wife of

SCOTT

Silas Scott 1798 - 1870. (All on Covell lot.)

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CORRECTIONS

"THE DETROIT SOCIETY FOR GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH MAGAZINE" - November-December, 1943,
p. 29, l. 48 - "his son, William Spencer" should read "his grandson, William Spencer Hudson".
p. 29, l. 56 - "Melchior Brumbach, who operated" should read "helped to operate".

Same - March-April, 1944 - p. 60, l.39 - add "aged nearly 16".

PETER WIRE FAMILY RECORDS
Contributed by Miss Leona R. Weir of Guilford, New York.

Note:- The following records were sent to me by Mrs. Alma (Wire) Lafever, oldest grandchild of Peter and Nancy Wire, of Kansas City, Mo. She owns the Bible. LRW

Peter Wire was born September 15, 1803.
Nancy Blount was born March 8, 1815.
Peter Wire and Nancy Blount were married July 17th, 1831.
Newton Wire was born May 27, 1832.
Milo Wire was born January 25, 1834.
Lavina Wire was born March 4, 1836.
Angeline Wire was born February 9, 1838.
Martha Jane Wire was born May 17, 1840.
Emanuel Wire was born April 8, 1842.
James Wire was born February 29, 1844.
Andrew Wire was born August 24, 1846.
Peter Wire was born April 13, 1848.

Note:- The Peter Wire family moved from Preble County, Ohio, to Huntington County, Indiana in October, 1834. Their daughter, Lavina, was the first white child born in Jefferson Township, Huntington County, Indiana, where they settled. The following death records were taken from Civil War records, tombstone and family records. Newton, Emanuel, James and Andrew Wire served in the Civil War. Peter and Nancy Wire and several relatives are buried in Lancaster Cemetery, near Warren, Ind. LRW

Peter Wire died October 1, 1862 in Huntington County, Indiana.
Nancy (Blount) Wire died February 21, 1860 in Huntington County, Indiana.
Newton Swangdon Wire died February 2, 1913 in Lyndon, Kansas.
Milo Frasier Wire died March 9, 1907 in Lyndon, Kansas.
Lavina (Wire) Schuman died January 29, 1864 in Huntington,County, Indiana.
Angeline (Wire) Heaston died June 12, 1934 in Huntington County, Indiana.
Martha Jane (Wire) Lefler died November 15, 1930 in Huntington County, Indiana.
Emanuel D. Wire died December 20, 1863 in Knoxville, Tennessee.
James P. Wire died April 18, 1916 in Huntington, Indiana.
Andrew Blount Wire died August 19, 1910 in Warren, Indiana.
Peter Wire died in infancy in Huntington County, Indiana.

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Excerpt from a recent letter to Mrs. Clarence L. Beavis from one of our new members, Mr. Leslie R. Frew of Thompsonville, Connecticut:

"..... Just for relaxation I have typed up a lot of my Chillson notes that no one but myself could read. Now ... my records will be in shape to pass on to you. I was very much pleased to find my name on the list of new members of your society. ... I do appreciate the honor. I do enjoy the magazine. I would like to share my Chillson records with the members of the D.S.G.R. and would be glad to answer any queries any member may have. My list now covers over 2000 of the name and I doubt that anyone in the country has a more comprehensive list.... I now have the following grouped into families ... fairly complete...

Family of Benjamin Chillson of Killingly, Conn.	Nos. 1 - 261
Family of Waters Chillson of Westhersfield, Vt.	Nos. 300 - 447
Family of Israel Chilson of Charlesburg, Mass.	Nos. 500 - 655
Family of Joseph Chilson of New Haven, Vt.	Nos. 700 - 723
Family of Joseph Chilson of Uxbridge, Mass.	Nos. 800 - 1076
Family of Joseph Chillson of Glocester, R. I.	Nos. 1110 - 1390
Family of Walsingham Chilson of Marblehead, Mass.	Nos. 1500 - 1354
Family of John Chilson of Buckland, Mass.	Nos. 2000 - 2087

I also have some data on a couple of hundred more whom I have not definitely assigned to any of the above families, but hope to at some later date."

QUERIES

955:R-19: BENTON:- What was the name of Dr. Caleb Benton's wife? Dr. Benton was the first physician of Hillsdale, N. Y. Later lived in Hudson, and in 1801 moved to Catskill where he died in 1825. He was a member of the Congregational Church at one time; later became an Episcopalian. Was a member of the State Legislature.

956:R-19: EASTWOOD-PANGBURN:- Who were the parents of Hannah Eastwood, born in Oswego Co., N. Y. in 1821. She married Charles Pangburn, I believe on Feb. 12, 1841.

957:M-43: WILLETT-SMITH:- Wanted any information on Abram Willett whose wife was Sophia Smith of Bedford Co., Pa. Son of Abram was Stephen Willett, b. 7/19/1789, d. 10/28/1882. We believe Abram went to Bedford Co., Pa., from Maryland.

958:M-43: CHANEY:- Wanted information as to parents of Gabriel Chaney of Bedford Co., Pa., b. 7/15/1762, d. 7/15/1882 in Hillsboro, Ohio; wife Mary -----?

959:M-43: RICE-LAUFFER-FUNK:- Wanted the names of the ten children of Frederick Rice, b. 1760, d. 1850 in Wayne Co., Ohio; came from Westmoreland Co., Pa. in 1812; mar. ----- Lauffer. Want also names of parents of Paul Rice, believed to be the grandson of Frederick. Paul b. 3/15/1815, d. 8/3/1905 in Van Wert, Ohio. Wife of Paul was Elizabeth K. Funk of Wayne Co., Ohio, b. 3/23/1831, d. 1/3/1873; believed to be dau. of Samuel Funk. Children of Paul and Elizabeth Rice were Jeremiah Kessler, Hezekiah, John, Samuel, Thomas, George, Emma, Jennie, Mary Ann and William Frederick. There should be a will of the parents of Paul, as he rec'd a small sum of money after he came to Van Wert, Ohio. A letter to County Clerk of Wayne Co., Ohio, brought no reply. Paul Rice often spoke of Yellow Breeches Creek. While they lived there their mail came through a Maryland post office, it seems.

960: M-37: SPENCER-HOTCHKISS-HENDERSON:- Who were the parents of Captain John Spencer, b. Aug. 8, 1782, d. Jan. 3, 1869; m. (1) Rachel Hotchkiss in Hartford, Ct., Nov. 24, 1802; m. (2) Lovisa Hotchkiss. sister of Rachel, of Burlington, Dec. 29, 1820. Old letters from various members of the family state that the father of Capt. John Spencer mar. Jerusha Henderson and was of New Hartford, Conn. This branch of the Spencer family descended from the Honorable William Spencer of Cambridge, later of Hartford, Conn., who was one of five brothers who descended thru Sir John Spencer who descended from the Du Le Spencer who was steward to King William when he landed in England.

961:B-5: SMITH-PRENTIS:- Would like the children of Thomas Smith who mar. Dec. 3. 1752, Patience Prentis, b. July 7, 1731, dau. of Valentine and Abigail (Walker) Prentis of Woodbury, Conn.

962:B-5: COWLES-POTTER:- Ebenezer Cowles, son of Ebenezer, b. Aug. 13, 1768, bapt. Sept. 5, 1779 at Norfolk, Conn.; m. (1) Sept. 1793, Norfolk, Conn. to Lucretia Wilcox; m. (2) ---- Clarissa Case of Simsbury, Conn. He had a dau. Marcia Cowles, b.? m. ? ---- Potter. Want to know more about Lucretia Wilcox and Clarissa Case and which was the mother of Marcia.

963:B-5: TALLMADGE-ROBERTS:- James Tallmadge, son of James and Hannah (Harrison) Tallmadge, b. Feb. 10, 1716, New Haven, Ct., m. in Sharon, Ct., Feb. 13, 1740/1 to Martha Roberts. When was she born and who were her parents? From N. E. Hist. & Gen. Reg. v. 14, p. 68: John Roberts Jun. m. to Martha Lucas, Nov. 18, 1718 in Middletown, Ct. Could these have been the parents of the above Martha Roberts?

As a member are you making use of your privilege to ask and answer questions here?